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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :

KENJI OKAHARA ET AL : ATTN: APPLICATION DIVISION

SERIAL NO: 10/030,143 :

FILED: JANUARY 28, 2002 :

FOR: NON-AQUEOUS ELECTROLYTE :  
AND SECONDARY BATTERY  
USING THE SAME

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE TITLE

Please delete the title and replace with the following title:

A, NONAQUEOUS ELECTROLYTIC SOLUTION AND SECONDARY BATTERY  
CONTAINING THE SAME

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as shown in the marked-up copy following this amendment to read as follows.